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For: ELECTROMAGNETIC INTERFERENCE SHIELDING  
FOR SMALL MAGNETIC DEVICES

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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b)**

The above-identified Application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to an Official Action dated May 31, 2000, by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the Official notice or action plus any extensions of time. The Applicants hereby petition for revival of this application under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b).

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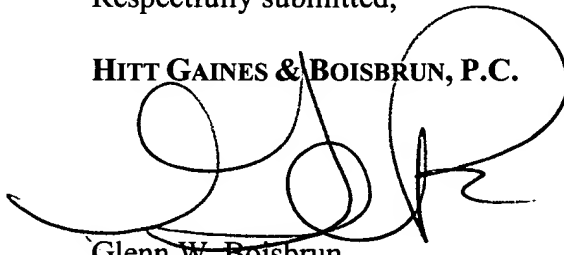
The failure to timely reply in response to an Election/Restriction Official notice within the period set for reply plus any extensions of time was unintentional. Since the failure to timely reply was unintentional, the Applicants hereby petition for revival of this Application and request that the Election of Claims previously mailed, but unfortunately never received by the Examiner be considered.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b)(2), the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the petition fee of \$1,240.00 to Deposit Account No. 12-2325. Also, inasmuch as this utility Application was filed after June 8, 1995, no Terminal Disclaimer is necessary.

The Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner contact the undersigned at 972-480-8800 if such would further or expedite the revival of the present Application.

Respectfully submitted,

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